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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2), the undersigned hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that small entity status is not appropriate at this time for fee payments made in connection with the above-identified patent application, and that the claim for small entity status filed by the Applicant is hereby withdrawn.

This application was originally filed as a large entity on November 18, 2003. On January 28, 2004, Applicants filed a "Request for Refund of Excess Filing Fee" and requested a refund of \$935.00 for filing fees in excess of small entity fees. It came to Applicant's attention that small entity status was incorrect and Applicants then filed a "Payment of Deficiency in Fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c)" on April 2, 2004, and enclosed a check in the amount of \$935.00. On April 7, 2004, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office incorrectly sent Applicants a refund of \$935.00. As of this date, Applicants believe that the amount of \$935.00 is still owed to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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